

WARNING SIGNAL



TIED NOTES  
FOR LEFT HAND

(28) *First Loss*

Not too fast

Robert Schumann

The musical score is written for piano. The key signature has two sharps (F# and C#), and the time signature is 2/4. The tempo instruction is 'Not too fast'. The dynamics include 'p' (piano) and 'rit. e dim.' (ritardando e diminuendo). The score is divided into four systems, each with a right-hand melody and a left-hand accompaniment. The left hand features several tied notes, which are the focus of the 'WARNING SIGNAL' section. The right hand includes various fingerings and articulations, such as slurs and accents.



*Technique:* Special attention must be given to the tied notes for the Left Hand. In the Right Hand there are several examples of finger substitution, that is, repetitions of a note played with different fingers.

*Appreciation:* Robert Schumann was one of the world's great composers. He wrote music in many forms, including songs, cantatas, symphonies and piano music. Many of his piano pieces were written for his own children.